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THE following Addreſſes having been tranſmitted to the Office of His Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been preſented to the King: Which Addreſſes His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

A numerous and moſt reſpectable Meeting of the Nobility, Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the County of Longford, having aſſembled at Longford on Monday the 1ſt of July, in Conſequence of a Public Advertiſement from the High Sheriff, the following Reſolutions were unanimouſly agreed to.

Reſolved unanimouſly,

That the following Addreſs be preſented to his Grace the Duke of Portland, to be by him tranſmitted to His Majeſty.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble and unanimous Addreſs of the Sheriff, Freeholders, and Inhabitants of the County of Longford.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Sheriff, Freeholders, and Inhabitants of the County of Longford, beg Leave, with the Reſt of our Fellow-Subjects, humbly and reſpectfully to approach your Throne.

Attached from Principle to your Illuſtrious Family, to your Perſon and Government, we felt the moſt lively Senſations of Affection and Gratitude, when we behold your Majeſty condeſcending with Parental Tenderneſs to call upon your faithful Subjects fully and explicitly to declare the Cauſes of their Diſcontents and Jealouſies, and graciouſly inviting them to an immediate and final Adjuſtment. We rejoiced at the Magnanimity with which, in Anſwer to our conſequent Addreſſes, you expreſſed your Anxiety to exerciſe your Royal Prerogative in the Manner the moſt conducive to the Welfare of your People, and your Readineſs to gratify our Wiſhes in the Manner pointed out by our own Legiſlature, without any Condition or Stipulation whatever.

With equal Satisfaction we have ſeen the Parliament of Great Britain wiſely and generouſly ſeconding theſe your Majeſty's benign Diſpoſitions, and by the compleat and unconditional Repeal of the 6th of George the Firſt, annihilating every Claim of Britiſh Legiſlation and Juriſdiction over this Country, and thereby finally extinguiſhing and renouncing a Principle inconſiſtent with our Freedom, and ſubverſive of our Rights.

In this Light we are happy to aſſure your Majeſty we receive this Repeal; as ſuch we ſhall eſteem it ſatisfactory.

We participate, with the Reſt of our Fellow-Subjects of this Kingdom, in the Satisfaction which the late Change in your Majeſty's Councils and Miniſters has diffuſed among all Ranks of Men: We beg Leave to offer to your Majeſty the grateful Tribute of our Acknowledgements for the Benefits we have already derived from that Change, by the Appointment of his Grace the Duke of Portland to the Chief Government of this your faithful Kingdom, and, by the rapid Revolution in Favour of our Conſtitution and Intereſts, the firſt Fruits of his Grace's upright Adminiſtration, and which we agree with our Legiſlature in aſcribing in a great Degree to the Zeal, Fidelity and Integrity, with which he has repreſented to your Majeſty the Diſpoſitions and Wiſhes of your faithful People.

We cannot conclude this our loyal and humble Addreſs without offering to your Majeſty our joyful Congratulations on the great and ſignal Succeſſes that have crowned your Arms in the Eaſt and Weſt Indies. We ſhall exert our utmoſt Efforts to ſupply your Majeſty with the Means of improving thoſe Succeſſes, by augmenting the Number of your Seamen, and carrying into immediate Execution the unanimous Vote of our Repreſentatives to that Effect. Sharers in the Freedom of our Fellow-Subjects of Great Britain, they ſhall find that we are determined to ſhare their Fate alſo; they can have no Enemies whom we ſhall not conſider as equally the Enemies of Ireland: We ſtand and we fall together.

Lewis Montfort, Sheriff.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Preſbyterian Miniſters and Elders of the Province of Ulſter, aſſembled in General Synod at Lurgan, the Twenty-ſixth Day of June, 1782.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Preſbyterian Miniſters and Elders of the Province of Ulſter, in your Majeſty's Kingdom of Ireland, aſſembled in General Synod, beg Leave to approach your Royal Perſon with the moſt cordial and unfeigned Sentiments of Affection, Loyalty, and Reſpect.

We aſſure your Majeſty, that no Part of your Dominions contains Men more attached to thoſe Principles which ſeated your Majeſty and your Illuſtrious Family on the Throne of theſe Kingdoms, than the Proteſtant Diſſenters of the North of Ireland. Educated in the Principles of Liberty and a Veneration for the Laws, we truſt, that, as we have hitherto been, ſo ſhall we ever be found, the foremoſt in Support of the one and Obedience to the other.

We behold with heartfelt Satisfaction the late Change in your Majeſty's Counſels. We revere the Magnanimity and Goodneſs of your Royal Heart in adopting thoſe Maxims of Government which have for their Object the Liberty and Happineſs of Mankind. We rejoice in the pleaſing Proſpect, now

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now opened, of having the Sword ſheathed, and that Brother will no more riſe againſt Brother.

As Iriſhmen, we particularly rejoice in the Juſtice and Liberality of your Majeſty's Intentions towards this Kingdom: We return your Majeſty our moſt warm and grateful Thanks for having placed over us a Chief Governor whoſe Hereditary Principles deſerve Confidence; whoſe uniform Support of the Liberty of the People, commands Eſteem; our Hearts beat high at the Name of Portland, the popular Governor of the People of Ireland: We truſt, in his Adminiſtration, that the Deſigns of your Majeſty, whoſe firſt Wiſh is to promote the Happineſs of all your Majeſty's Subjects, will be perfected; that every Species of Perſecution, for Religious Opinions, will be done away, when every equally good Subject will be equally cheriſhed and protected by the State.

That He who weigheth the Nations in a Balance may direct the Heart of your Majeſty, and ſuperintend your Councils, that He may grant Victory to your Fleets and Armies over the antient Enemies of Freedom and theſe Kingdoms, and that Diſcord, Enmity, and War, may ſoon give Place to Public Tranquility, Peace, and Love, is our moſt ardent Wiſh and conſtant Prayer.

Done at Lurgan, the Twenty-ſixth Day of June, 1782, and ſigned by our Order,

Tho. Read, Moderator.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, July 17, 1782.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there will be no Drawing Room at St James's till Thurſday the 25th Inſtant, and afterwards but once a Fortnight till further Orders.

Admiralty-Office, July 23, 1782.

Extract of a Letter from Vice Admiral Drake, Commander in Chief of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels in the Downes, to Mr. Stephens, dated on Board the Ripon, the 22d of July, 1782.

CAPTAIN Smith, of the Scourge, acquaints me, in his Letter of this Date, that, on the 14th Inſtant, the Camelion being in Company, he took, off the Gabbard, L'Eſperance, a French Lug-ſail Privateer, of 4 Swivels and 21 Men; but not thinking it ſafe to truſt any of his People in her to carry her into Port, ſhe being only an open Boat, he took her Sails, &c. out, and then ſunk her.

War-Office, July 23, 1782.

Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, Lieutenant Lewis Buckle is appointed to be Captain of a Troop, vice Alexander Forbes.

Ditto, Cornet Francis Chaplin to be Lieutenant, vice Lewis Buckle.

4th Regiment of Foot, Charles Mundin, Gent. to be Enſign in One of the Additional Companies, vice William Dyott.

9th Regiment of Foot, Serjeant-Major —— Burbidge to be Adjutant, vice Thomas Balfour.

12th Regiment of Foot, Captain Lieutenant Chriſtopher Ludwig Forch to be Captain of a Company, vice Thomas Adams.

Ditto, Lieutenant John Chalmers to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Chriſtopher Ludwig Forch.

Ditto, Enſign Lewis Tobias Jones to be Lieutenant, vice John Chalmers.

Ditto, John Hughes, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Lewis Tobias Jones.

Ditto, Enſign Knyvet Wilſon to be Lieutenant, vice —— Wheteam.

Ditto, David Latimer Tinling, Aſſiſtant-Engineer, to be Enſign, vice Knyvet Wilſon.

18th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Sydney Scroggs to be Lieutenant, vice William Lucas.

20th Regiment of Foot, Enſign George Bolton to be Lieutenant, vice Clifton Wheat.

24th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Colin M'Larty to be Lieutenant, vice Boyle Spencer.

29th Regiment of Foot, William Charles Strachan to be Enſign, vice William Buckley.

31ſt Regiment of Foot, Enſign William Cockell, of the 1ſt Regiment Weſt Riding of Yorkſhire Militia, to be Enſign, vice William Houſton.

41ſt Regiment of Foot, Enſign Jonathan Thorpe to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Turner.

Ditto, Enſign John Higgins, of Captain Croſton's Independent Company of Invalids, to be Enſign, vice Jonathan Thorpe.

58th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Exham Hemmings to be Lieutenant, vice —— Williamſon.

Ditto, Volunteer Alexander Forbes, from the 2d Battalion of the 73d Regiment, to be Enſign, vice Exham Hemmings.

71ſt Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Donald M'Bean to be Captain of a Company, vice James Fraſer.

89th Regiment of Foot, Reuben Joynour, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Mitchell.

98th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Kinnerſley Kirby, of 102d Foot, to be Lieutenant.

99th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Henry Hervey Aſton, of 6th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Patrick Moore.

Ditto, Lieutenant Thomas Napper, of Earl Fauconberg's Regiment of Foot, to be Enſign, vice Abraham Croſſe.

104th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Auſtin to be Captain of a Company, vice Henry Bowen Browne.

Royal Lancaſhire Volunteers, Captain Lieutenant Roger Sedgwick to be Captain of a Company, vice Richard Richardſon.

Ditto, Lieutenant William Brome to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Roger Sedgwick.

Ditto, Enſign John Shawe to be Lieutenant, vice William Brome.

Ditto, William Rookes, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Shawe.

Cinque Ports Corps, Enſign Thomas Jenkins to be Lieutenant, vice —— O'Beirne.

Robert Wilſon, late Adjutant in the 1ſt Regiment of Foot Guards, to be Lieutenant in Captain Malcolm's Independent Company of Invalids, vice John Hall.

Enſign John Lovekin to be Lieutenant in Captain Carleton's Independent Company.

—— Mercer, Gent. to be Enſign in the ſaid Company, vice John Lovekin.

Eyre Cauldfield, Gent. to be Enſign in Captain Jones's Independent Company, vice Thomas Jones.

William Henn, Gent. to be Enſign in Captain Farquarſon's Independent Company, vice Donald Farquarſon.

Dunbar Hamilton Price, Gent. to be Enſign in Captain Roſs's Independent Company, vice Benjamin Williamſon.

Navy-Office, July 15, 1782.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 26th Inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, Commiſſioner Martin will be ready, at his Office in the Dock Yard at Portſmouth, to receive ſealed Tenders from, and treat with, ſuch Perſons as are incline to ſerve the ſaid Yard, on a ſtanding Contract, with as many Teams of able Horſes as the Service thereof may hereafter call for: The ſaid Contract to commence the 21ſt of December next.

Navy Office, July 18, 1782.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Tueſday the 6th of next Month they will be ready to contract with ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſupply His Majeſty's Yards, and deliver them at their own Expence, Copper Sheets from 16 to 32 Ounces to the Foot ſquare, to be paid for in Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Navy The Contract to be for Twelve Months certain, and Six Months Warning.

N. B. No Offer will be attended to unleſs the Parties attend themſelves, or ſome Perſon on their Behalf.

Office of Ordnance, July 12, 1782.

THE Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance hereby give Notice, that they will, on Tueſday the 6th of Auguſt next, ſell at Public Auction, in Woolwich Warren, Sundry Lots of old Hammered Iron, Double-headed Hammered Shot, (Part broken, Part unſized) ſome Caſt Double-headed Shot, Broken Bolts, and ſeveral other Articles of old Iron; which will be divided into ſmall Lots, for the Conveniency of the Purchaſers. By Order of the Board,

John Boddington.

Union Fire-Office, July 17, 1782.

BY Virtue of an Act paſſed in the late Seſſion of Parliament, laying a yearly Duty of 1s. 6d for every 100l. aſſured from Loſs by Fire, all Perſons inſured in this Office are to make the Payment of the ſaid Duty, within Fifteen Days from the next annual Return of the Day on which their Policies bear Date, otherwiſe ſuch Policies will be void.

N. B. The inſured are deſired to bring their Policies with them.

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office,

London, June 28, 1782.

WHereas an Act has been paſſed in the preſent Seſſion of Parliament, for charging a Duty on Perſons whoſe Property ſhall be inſured againſt Loſs by Fire; All Perſons who have paid their Premiums for more than One Year are by the ſaid Act required to pay the Tax at ſuch Time as the next yearly Payments would become due, or within Fifteen Days after, in caſe their Policies were Annual Policies, and their Payments had been made for One Year only, otherwiſe ſuch Policies will be void.

London, July 13, 1782.

IRISH LIFE ANNUITIES,

With Benefit of Survivorſhip.

THE Subſcribers to the Life Annuities, eſtabliſhed in Ireland in the Year 1773, who have uſually been paid at the Houſe of Meſſ. Brown, Collinſon, and Tritton, Bankers, in Lombard-ſtreet, may receive Half a Year's Annuity, due at Midſummer laſt, at Meſſrs. Boldero, Kendall, Adey, and Co. Bankers, No. 77, in the ſame Street.

And alſo the Subſcribers to the Life Annuities, eſtabliſhed in Ireland in the Year 1775, who are to be paid in London, may receive Six Months Annuity, due at Midſummer laſt, at the ſame Place, in the following Manner, viz.

The Firſt Claſs in each, (conſiſting of Nominees of the Age of Forty Years and upwards) from the 23d inſtant to the 26th inſtant, both Days incluſive, from Ten in the Forenoon till Two in the Afternoon.

The Second Claſs in each, (conſiſting of Nominees of the Age of Twenty Years and upwards, but under Forty) from the 30th inſtant, to the 2d of Auguſt, both Days incluſive.

The Third Claſs in each, (conſiſting of Nominees under the Age of Twenty Years) from the 6th of Auguſt to the 9th ditto, both Days incluſive, and from the 13th ditto to the 16th ditto, both Days incluſive.

Thoſe of each Claſs remaining unpaid, will be paid every Tueſday, Wedneſday, Thurſday, and Friday following, during the ſame Hours.

The Debentures to be produced, and a Certificate of the Life of the Nominee.

It is particularly deſired, that upon the Demiſe of a Nominee, the Debentures may be delivered in as above, to be tranſmitted to Ireland, to render the Liſts of Deaths compleat, for the future Benefit and Regulation of each Claſs.

The Public are requeſted to attend to the Days allotted for the Payment of the different Claſſes.

Notice to Creditors.

WHereas William Finch, late of Wigan in the County of Lancaſter, Bookſeller, but now a Priſoner in His Majeſty's Goal the Caſtle of Lancaſter, by Indenture bearing Date the 27th of December, 1780, aſſigned over to us all his Eſtate and Effects, in Truſt for ourſelves and ſuch of his lawful Creditors, rateably, who ſhall make due Proof upon Oath or Affirmation, when required, of their reſpective Debts, and agree to accept of the Dividend ariſing from the aſſigned Premiſes, in Lieu of, and full Satisfaction for, their ſeveral Debts: Now we do hereby give Notice, that we intend to make a Dividend of the neat Produce of the whole Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid William Finch, on Saturday the 28th of September next, at the Houſe of Mr. Hugh Bullock, the Eagle and Child, in Wigan, amongſt the concurring Creditors of the ſaid William Finch, purſuant to the Truſt of the ſaid Indenture: And all ſuch Creditors as intend to accept a Dividend, and have not already proved their Debts, are hereby required to deliver in the ſame to Mr. Wigan, Attorney, or James Ditchfield, both of Wigan, on or before the ſaid 28th Day of September next, otherwiſe they will be excluded from any Dividend of the ſaid Effects. Witneſs our Hands, this 10th of July, 1782.

James Ditchfield.
Thomas Grimſhaw.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Allen and William Woodcock, of Thregmorton-ſtreet, London, Hardwaremen and Ironmongers, Dealers and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignee of their Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday the 6th of Auguſt next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Symond's-inn Coffee-houſe, Chancery-lane, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects; or to his compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great for Enlarging the Time for John Finden, of Blackman-ſtreet in the Borough of Southwark, Grocer, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 27th Day of this inſtant July; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authoriſed, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 14th Day of September next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, between Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for John Becker, late of Lawrence-Pountney-lane, London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for 14 Days, to be computed from the 27th of July inſtant; This is to give Notice that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 10th Day of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the Clock of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Kt. Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for William Bloxham, now or late of the City of Glouceſter, Mercer, Linen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 30th Inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 17th of September next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of George Hinks, the Boothall Inn, in the City of Glouceſter; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to